Selectmen's Meeting December 1, 2009

Those present: Stephanie Gray and R Stephen Leighton. Lynn Sweet was not in attendance

Meeting was called to order at 6pm

Appointments

Bob Lee, outgoing president of the Community Club requested the town plow the parking lot at the Bow Lake Grange Hall which is public property. The Board agreed to plow the lot during the winter snow season. It was noted that the parking lot is used by the public when accessing the lake for ice fishing and skating.

Also there was a suggestion made to give consideration to the purchase of the Gerald Thorne property across from the Bow Lake Dam.

Greg Messenger, Road Agent, wanted to discuss the driveway for Map 4, Lot 98 as it is going to be a blind driveway on a scenic road if not directly across from present driveway. The Board agreed that the driveway needed to be in the best and safest location.

Mr. Messenger and the Board discussed the fact that the road salt contract has not yet arrived and will be followed up by Mr. Messenger. He also left off his 2010 budget.

There was a discussion about the condition and maintenance of Province Road from 202A to Ricky Nelson Road. The road needs to be rebuilt and repaved.

Dennis Lauze and Paul St Clair came in to discuss a petition to reopen Old Whig Road. A budget was presented which included paving. The Board feels that the road needs to be left gravel for the time being to keep the impact to the tax payers down. A revised cost needs to be submitted reflecting a gravel road vs. paved road.

Harmony Anderson and Phi I Auger, representing the Conservation Commission, came in to advise the Board that the commission along with others is working with someone who has a purchase and sales agreement on land on Evans Mountain. There will be a public meeting on December 16, 2009 at the Town Hall regarding the purchase.

November 17, 2009 minutes were review and accepted.

A forty foot container will be purchased for the town dump to store the refrigerators and any items with Freon.

It was decided that there shall be no more solicitation for donations by the public at the town dump in the future as it creates a traffic flow issue.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:07 P.M.